

Dear all,

This week our Y5 children have been away on a residential visit to Lledr Hall. I was fortunate to accompany the first class at the beginning of the week. Having spoke to the staff involved in both visits, I would like to say a huge well done to all the children who attended. During both visits, the children displayed exceptional manners and behaviour and embraced all the challenges that were given to them. Their positive attitude has made me very proud, making them outstanding representatives of the school. I would also like to say the biggest thank you to the staff who accompanied the children on the visit. Once again they have shown commitment above and beyond, ensuring the children were well supported and had an enjoyable time - Good job everyone!

This week I would also like to praise the positive attitude that the Y6 children have been displaying following their return from the Easter break. Keep up the good work, you are making both myself and your teachers very proud. Mrs. Karen Wild

Children's Activity Week - Final Update

As you are all aware, on Monday we will be hosting a World Record Attempt at Broadoak. Preparations have been underway, we have confirmation that we will be joined by Sid Sloane to lead us in the dance, bear mascots, the author Rob Foster, and Ayaz Bhuta, the British Paralympian who competed as part of the wheelchair rugby team in Rio 2016. The children have been busy rehearsing the dance and are ready to go. The attempt will be done at exactly 10:15am to allow all other participants to coordinate. Remember that the children are to come into school in fancy dress relating to the theme 'flight' and that we are asking for a £1 donation that will be given to the charities coordinating the event. As always, thank you for all you support, I am sure the event will provide the children with a life-long exciting memory .

Friday 27th April



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Additional letters sent out this week:

- Football Match letters - JP / Salford Teams
- These have been emailed out and can be viewed from the letters section of the website.

School Council Update

Here is an update from the School Council:
On Fri 20th April, representatives from the School Council observed the congestion outside the school. We watched the traffic during drop-off time and spoke to parents about their views. We saw lots of positives, such as, many children walking or cycling to school, the zig-zag lines were kept clear and the majority of cars were observing the 20 mile speed limit. However, we also saw some issues that concerned us. Whilst many children do travel to school on foot, there is still a high volume of cars outside our school and we felt that some drivers were exceeding the speed limit. There was also congestion and double parking. This can be dangerous for children who are crossing the road. Thank you to the parents that spoke to us and discussed their ideas to reduce congestion. In the next couple of weeks we will be launching our Walk to School initiative. Details will follow. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring our safety.

Class Photographs

Friendly reminder, Class photographs will be being taken in school on Wed 2nd May.

Dates for your Diary

30 th Apr	World Record Attempt - 'flight' dress up theme and £1 charity donation
2 nd May	Class Photograph Day
4 th May	Parent Voice Group Meeting - 9am
7 th May	Bank Holiday
14 th - 17 th May	Y6 SATs assessments - Breakfast club 8:30am
18 th May	Broadoak Spring Fair - 3:30pm
22 nd May	Y6 Worsley Cluster Rounders Competition
25 th May	School Closes for Whit holiday
11 th June	School Re-opens

Sports Days

This term we will be holding our annual sports days for the children. The dates have been circulated on the Events planner at the beginning of the year, however I wanted to share these to allow parents plenty of notice if they require annual leave. The dates are as follows:

Key Stage One	Wed 20 th June	1:30pm
Key Stage Two	Thu 21 st June	1:00pm
Morning Nur	Fri 22 nd June	10:00am
Afternoon Nur & Rec	Fri 22 nd June	2:00pm

I'm sure the events will be enjoyable for the children and will form part of our Fitness Fortnight schedule. I hope you will all be able to attend to cheer on the children.

Year 6 SATs week and Breakfast Club

The Year 6 SATs are due to be completed during the week commencing 14th May. We will be holding a breakfast club for the Y6 children throughout this week at 8:30am in the Key Stage Two hall. This has proved very successful in previous years, providing a calm start to the day.